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## **Annual Workers Compensation Seminar Registration Open Online**

**TOPEKA, Kan. -** The Kansas Department of Labor (KDOL) Workers Compensation Division is pleased to announce that the online registrations for the 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Kansas Workers Compensation Seminar at the Overland Park Convention Center on Sept. 26 and 27 is now open. Registration can be completed online at <a href="https://www.dol.ks.gov/WorkComp/seminar.aspx">www.dol.ks.gov/WorkComp/seminar.aspx</a> and at the door until 1 p.m. Sept. 27.

Presentations will feature Neutral Evaluations, Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) From the Circumstances Surrounding an Accident, and Work Disability Thresholds. Attendees will also learn about Burns and How to Rate Them Under the Sixth Edition, Update on Building and Implementation of the Online System for Claims Administration and Research/Regulation (OSCAR) and Orthopedic Surgery and Permanent Restrictions.

Continuing education is pre-approved for Kansas and Missouri attorneys, Certified Case Managers, Kansas APRN, RN or LPN professionals, Kansas Occupational Therapists/Certified Occupational Therapy Assistants and Kansas Licensed Physical Therapists/Kansas Certified Physical Therapist Assistants. Assistance is available to attendees who are licensed or certified in occupations requiring continuing education credits that are not pre-approved. There are 660 minutes of education available during the seminar.

Attendees are encouraged to network with peers, the seminar's Gold sponsors listed at <a href="https://www.dol.ks.gov/WorkComp/AppreciationGold.aspx">www.dol.ks.gov/WorkComp/AppreciationGold.aspx</a>, Silver sponsors listed at <a href="https://www.dol.ks.gov/WorkComp/AppreciationSilver.aspx">www.dol.ks.gov/WorkComp/AppreciationSilver.aspx</a> and 89 exhibitors.

For more information on the 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Workers Compensation Seminar go to www.dol.ks.gov/WorkComp/seminar.aspx .

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The Kansas Department of Labor assists in the prevention of economic insecurity through unemployment insurance and workers compensation, by providing a fair and efficient venue to exercise employer and employee rights, and by helping employers promote a safe work environment for their employees. This facilitates compliance with labor laws while enabling advancement of the economic well-being of the citizens of Kansas.

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